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THE following Addreſs was ſent up by the Commiſſioners of the General Aſſembly of the Church of *Scotland*, and was preſented to His Majeſty by the Right Honourable the Earl of *Tullibardine*, Principal Secretary of State for that Kingdom.

To the King's moſt Excellent Majeſty.

The humble Addreſs of the Commiſſioners of the General Aſſembly of the Church of *Scotland*.

May it pleaſe Your Majeſty,

AFter a long and tedious War, wherein God hath ſignally countenanced Your Juſt Arms, and preſerved Your Royal Perſon from many eminent Dangers, to meet with the great Bleſſing of Tranquillity and Peace, doth call aloud for moſt Thankful Acknowledgements to our Gracious God for ſuch ineſtimable Bleſſings; And ſince that, the freſh Mercy beſtowed on us in Your Majeſties ſafe and happy arrival to Your Kingdoms, gives us new Matter of Gratitude and Praiſe to God, and putteth in our hand an opportunity which we cannot let paſs of humbly Addreſſing Your Majeſty.

We can never, great SIR, forget Your Majeſties being raiſed of God to be the great Deliverer, and as God did make uſe of Your Courage and Conduct to quell the Inſults of a Mighty Enemy during a Bloody War, ſo he hath employed Your deep Wiſdom and Prudence in obtaining an Honourable and ſolid Peace: And now that it hath pleaſed God to Bleſs theſe Nations with Peace, and return Your Majeſty in Safety, we raiſe our Hopes to ſee Your Majeſty as glorious in Peace as You have been in War, by employing Your Royal Authority in ſtill countenancing and encouraging that Holy Religion we profeſs, and in reforming the Manners of a degenerate Age, a Work well becoming the greateſt of Princes. That God may bleſs Your Endeavours herein with ſucceſs; may long preſerve Your Royal Perſon to Reign over us, and after You have happily finiſhed the great Work for which God hath raiſed You up, may You change this Earthly Crown for that far more glorious Crown that fadeth not away, is the ſincere Prayers of, may it pleaſe Your Majeſty, Your Majeſties moſt Humble, moſt Faithful, and moſt Loyal Subjects.

The following Addreſs was preſented to His Majeſty by the Mayor and Aldermen of *Windſor*, introduced by the Right Honourable the Lord *Fitzharding*.

To the King's Moſt Excellent Majeſty.

The humble Addreſs of the Mayor, Steward, Aldermen, Bayliffs, and Burgeſſes of Your Ancient Corporation, together with the Gentlemen and others Inhabitants of Your Majeſties Town and Borough of *New-Windſor*.

SIR,

THE Solemn Addreſs made by our Repreſentatives in Parliament, in the Name of themſelves and all the Commons of England, did in Terms ſo full and ſuitable, and ſo proper to the great Occaſion, expreſs the United Affections, Duty and Gratitude of all Your People, that nothing remains for us, but to lay hold on this and every Opportunity to declare to You: Majeſty, and all the World, our ſincere, unfeigned, and hearty Concurrence with them, in that and every thing they have or ſhall do to promote Your Majeſties Service and Intereſt, and to advance the Honour of Your Government to the higheſt pitch of Splendour and Magnificence.

And we beg Leave to Aſſure Your Majeſty, whatever Supplies they ſhall think fit to grant for the attainment of this great End, we ſhall always be ready to pay, with that Chearfulneſs which becomes thoſe, who ſtand bound in all the Obligations of Law and Juſtice, Religion and Gratitude, to live and die Your Majeſties moſt Obedient, Dutiful, and Loyal Subjects.

An humble Addreſs of the Mayor, Aldermen, Sheriffs, Common-Council-men, and Inhabitants of the City of *Gloucester*, was preſented to His Majeſty by *William Tey*, and *Robert Payne*, Eſquires, their Repreſentatives in Parliament, introduced by the Right Honourable my Lord *Durſey*, their High Steward, and Lord Lieutenant of the County.

An humble Addreſs of the Mayor, Steward, Bridgmaſters, and Burgeſſes of the Coporation of *Maidenhead* in the County of *Berks*, was preſented to His Majeſty by *John Whitfield*, and *Ralph Howland*, Eſquires, introduced by the Right Honourable my Lord *Selkirk*.

An humble Addreſs of the Dean and Chapter of the Cathedral Church of *Lincoln*, was preſented to His Majeſty by the Lord Biſhop of *Lincoln*, introduced by the Right Honourable the Earl of *Lindſey*, Lord Great Chamberlain of *England*.

An humble Addreſs of the Lord Lieutenant, Deputy Lieutenants, and Militia of the County of *Leiceſter*, was preſented to His Majeſty by *John Verney* Eſq; one of the Knights of the Shire for the ſaid County, being introduced by his Grace the Duke of *Devonſhire*.

An humble Addreſs of the Archdeacons and others of the Clergy within the Dioceſs of *Durham*, was preſented to His Majeſty by the Lord Biſhop of *Durham*.

All which Addreſſes His Majeſty received very Graciouſly.

Venice, Dec. 20. N. S. His Excellency the Earl of *Manchester*, Ambaſſador Extraordinary from the King of *Great-Britain* to this Republick, arrived here on Saturday laſt, and is lodged at the Engliſh Conſuls Houſe, till the Palace taken for him, be put in order, which may be ready in few days. The Advices from *Conſtantinople*, by the way of *Smirna*, ſay, the Grand Signior had cauſed the Mufti, and ſeveral other great Officers, to be cut off, imputing the Misfortunes of his laſt Campagne in *Hungary* to their ill Advice and Conduct.

Cracow, Dec. 21. The King of *Poland* intends to ſtay here till after the Holidays. The Reſolution continues of calling a General Dyet in the beginning of *March*; and ſeveral Conſultations have been of late held concerning a vigorous proſecution of the War againſt the Turks, wherein his Majeſty will employ a conſiderable Body of his own Forces; The Turks ſeem apprehenſive of this, by the Care they are taking to put *Caminiec* into a good Condition of Defence, and to ſupply the Gariſon with Proviſions and Ammunition.

Warſaw, Dec. 23. The Crown General, after having ſpent 8 or 10 days in this City, is returned to *Lemberg*, to give the neceſſary Orders concerning the Winter Quarters for the Forces of *Poland*, who are to be poſted as near the Frontiers as they can be conveniently, for their ſecurity againſt any ſudden Invaſion of the Tartars; While the Crown General was here the Biſhop of *Ploſko*, the Marſhal of the Crown, and other Great Men, (who were of the Primate's Party) made him a Viſit, and renewed the Friendſhip between them, which had been altered by the Differences ariſen on account of the late Election, But the Primate cannot yet be prevailed with to quit the Intereſts he has hitherto been engaged in, though the *Brandenburg* Miniſter has been again with him at *Lowitz*, to employ his Endeavours for that purpoſe. Prince *Sapieha*, Great General of *Lithuania*, is coming hither, to wait on the King at his arrival from *Cracow*; There have lately been great Diſorders in that part of *Lithuania*, called *Samogitia*, the Party, which has been all along againſt the Family of *Sapieha*, being ſo ſtrong there, that they have forced the Troops, quartered among them, and which are under the command of Prince *Sapieha*, as great General of that Dutchy, to march away, and in the Diſpute that aroſe about it a Colonel and ſeveral other Officers were killed; and on the other hand Prince *Sapieha* having taken at a place called *Jevin*, an Officer belonging to

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